GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
INFORMATION AND BROADCASTING
LOK SABHA

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:3059
ANSWERED ON:08.12.2000
COLLECTION OF DUES FROM WORLD TEL. INC
CHANDRA NATH SINGH;SHEESH RAM SINGH RAVI

Will the Minister of INFORMATION AND BROADCASTING be pleased to state:

(a) whether in 1997 department has made payment of income tax of Rs. 99 lacs on behalf of World Tel. Incorporation but failed to recover that amount from them while making payment;

(b) if so, the reasons therefor;

(c) whether the amount has now been recovered;

(d) if so, the details thereof and if not, the reasons therefor;

(e) whether there is any proposal to investigate the matter; and

(f) if so, the details in this regard?

Answer

THE MINISTER OF INFORMATION AND BROADCASTING (SMT. SUSHMA SWARAJ)

(a) to (f): The information is being collected and will be laid on the Table of the House.